DIRECT & INDIRECT SPEECH
ASSESSMENT TEST

DIRECTION: Following are twenty Direct Speech sentences with four choices of Indirect speech. Choose the right one.

***1. "Two plus three is five," the teacher said.**

A. The teacher had taught that two plus-three is five.
B. The teacher taught that two plus three was five.
C. The teacher taught that two plus three is five.
D. The teacher has taught that two plus-three is five.

***2. "The bus goes to Rose Avenue," the bus conductor said.**

A. The bus conductor enquired that the bus went to Rose Avenue.
B. The bus conductor told that the bus goes to Rose Avenue.
C. The bus conductor told that the bus went to Rose Avenue.
D. The bus conductor told that the bus went for Rose Avenue.

***3. She said to me, "I have a beautiful watch."**

A. She told me that I had a beautiful watch.
B. She told me that she has a beautiful watch.
C. She told me that she had a beautiful watch.
D. She told me that she had the beautiful watch.

4. "I don't like plums and peaches," Afia said to me.

A. Afia told me that I didn't like plums and peaches.
B. Afia told me that she doesn't like plums and peaches.
C. Afia told me that she didn't liked plums and peaches.
D. Afia told me that she didn't like plums and peaches.

5. "Do you know what the opposite of small is?" he asked me.

A. He asked me whether he knew what the opposite of small is?
B. He asked me whether I know what the opposite of small is?
C. He asked me whether I knew what the opposite of small was.
D. He asked me whether I knew what the opposite of small is?

6. She said to me, “I got through C.S.S. three years ago.”

A. She told me that she had got through C.S.S. three years before.

B. She enquired me that she had got through C.S.S. three years before.

C. She told me that I had got through C.S.S. three years before.

D. She told me that she had got through C.S.S. three years ago.

***7. The foreigner said, “Do you travel much?”**

A. The foreigner asked do I traveled much.

B. The foreigner asked whether I traveled much.

C. The foreigner asked whether you traveled much.

D. The foreigner asked whether I travel much.

***8. “Who built the Taj?” the visitor asked the guide.**

A. The visitor asked the guide whom had built the Taj.

B. The visitor asked the guide who had built the Taj.

C. The visitor asked the guide who has built the Taj.

D. The visitor asked the guide who had build the Taj.

***9. “Where do you come from?” the stranger said to him.**

A. The stranger enquired him where he came from.

B. The stranger enquired you where he came from.

C. The stranger enquired him where you came from.

D. The stranger enquired him where he did come from.

***10. “It is Sunday today and the next day is Monday,” the child said to his mother.**

A. The child told his mother that it was Sunday that day and the following day was Monday.

B. The child told his mother that this was Sunday that day and the following day was Monday.

C. The child told his mother that it was Sunday that day and the next day was Monday.

D. The child told his mother that it was Sunday that day and the following day is Monday.

***11. The officer shouted, “Get out of my office.”**

A. The officer orders him angrily to get out of his office.
B. The officer ordered him angrily to got out of his office.
C. The officer ordered him angrily to get out of his office.
D. The officer ordered him angrily to get out of my office.

***12. “Let me go,” he said.**

A. He asks to let him go.
B. He asked let him go.
C. He asked to lets him go.
D. He asked to let him go.

***13. “Don’t move till I say,” the commander said to the soldiers.**

A. The commander ordered the soldiers not to move till he said.
B. The commander orders the soldiers not to move till he said.
C. The commander ordered the soldiers don’t to move till he said.
D. The commander ordered the soldiers not to move till he says.

***14. “Go down to him and bring the things I want,” the master said.**

A. The master ordered his servant go down to him and bring the things he wanted.
B. The master ordered his servant to go down to him and bring the things he wanted.
C. The master ordered his servant to go down to me and bring the things he wanted.

D. The master ordered his servant to go down to him and bring the things I wanted.

***15. “Would you mind shutting the door?” said he.**

A. He has asked me if I would mind shutting the door.
B. He asked me if I would mind shutting the door.
C. He asked you if I would mind shutting the door.
D. He asked me if you would mind shutting the door.

***16. “Don’t smoke here in this room,” the mother said to her son.**

A. The mother ordered her son not to smoke there in that room.
B. The mother ordered to her son not to smoke there in that room.
C. The mother ordered her son not smoke there in that room.
D. The mother ordered her son not to smoke their in that room.

***17. “Be quiet my boys and listen to what I have to say,” the teacher said.**

A. The teacher ordered my boys to be quiet and listen to what he had to say.
B. The teacher ordered his boys to be quite and listen to what he had to say.
C. The teacher ordered his boys to be quiet and listen to what I had to say.
D. The teacher ordered his boys to be quiet and listen to what he had to say.

***18. The team players said. “Hurrah! We have beaten stronger opponents.”**

A. The team players exclaimed with joy that we had beaten stronger opponents.
B. The team players exclaimed with joy that they have beaten stronger opponents.
C. The team players exclaimed with joy that they had beaten stronger opponents.
D. The team players exclaimed with joy that they has beaten stronger opponents.

***19. He said, “No, I am not to blame.”**

A. He denied that he was to blame.
B. He denies that he was to blame.
C. He denied that I was to blame.
D. He denied that he was not to blame.

***20. She said, “What a beautiful creature!”**

A. She exclaims with pleasure that the creature was beautiful.

B. She exclaimed with pleasure that the creature was very beautiful.

C. She exclaimed with pleasure that the creator was beautiful.

D. She exclaimed with pleasure that the creature is beautiful.